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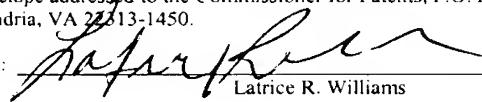
Title: Energy Filter Multiplexing

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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2003, a response to which is due May 27, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please CANCEL claim 21 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please REWRITE claim 20 as follows:

20. (Amended Once) An inspection system comprising:
a beam generator for generating an electron beam;
a detector having a high pass filter for detecting scattered electrons; and
a controller arranged to:

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